

September 24, 2004

Dear Reader:

The attached Final Environmental Assessment and Final Decision Record/FONSI (Finding of No Significant Impact) is a decision to authorize legal access for roads and utilities to the lands of the El Monte Roads Association in Santa Fe County, New Mexico.

Also included is:

- The final record and comment resolution for comments received over the 60 days when the final environmental assessment was made available to the public from June 15 to August 15, 2004;
- A modified map for Figure 2.1 with the boundaries of the subdivisions and all principal roads identified on the map per Santa Fe County GIS information;
- The Settlement Agreement No. CIV 98-01110 SC/DJS-ACE between Lawrence J. Burke and Gabrielle Burke, Plaintiffs and the United States Department of the Interior, Bureau of Land Management; The Board of County Commissioners, County of Santa Fe; Eloy and Suzanne H. Garcia, Defendants. Dated April 3, 2000; and
- Information about the appeals process.

Please direct any questions regarding these materials to:

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Final copies of the EA and additional materials are available for review at the following locations:

Bureau of Land Management, Taos Field Office, 226 Cruz Alta Road in Taos, NM

Bureau of Land Management, New Mexico State Office, 1474 Rodeo Road in Santa Fe, NM

New Mexico State Records Center and Archives, 1025 Camino Carlos Rey, Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

An electronic copy may be viewed on the internet at: <http://www.nm.blm.gov/>